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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 24, 2001, paper number 14, in the subject patent application. The following amendments and comments are submitted to place the rejected claims on condition for allowance which is respectfully requested.

In the claims

Replace claim 16 as follows;

16. (Third amended) An apparatus for reproduction of compressed digital images at a plurality of speeds, said apparatus comprising:

a storage device having stored therein compressed program records, each program record containing multiple versions where each version of said multiple versions allows reproduction at a different play speed, and tables of predetermined temporally similar addresses within each version of said each program record for selection between the different play speed records;

transducing means for reproducing images from said compressed program records; and,

control means responsive to user program selection for selecting one of said program records, and in accordance with a play speed selection selecting one of said multiple versions, said control means being additionally responsive to

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